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School Days

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The attractions include races of all kinds, baseball games between the best players in the Rosedale League, besides many other events of great interest. Good music has been provided and everything possible has been done to give visitors not only an interesting and educational exhibition but the lighter side has been looked after and good clean amusement provided.

It only remains for the general public to come out and support not only the Fair management but their own exhibition. This is their duty. Two things are required more than anything else to make these local fairs a success. Interest in making exhibits and attending the Fair after the exhibits are brought together. It costs a good deal of money to handle this exhibition every year and the expense is a considerable worry to those who have charge. The public can materially assist by giving their wholehearted support and appreciation by attending the Fair thus making it the success it should be.

Do your part by coming to the Fair. Next Tuesday and Wednesday next.

Since publication of the Fair program an extra third prize of \$5 has been added to all the horse races.

The New Government

Premier Greenfield held a secret caucus of the members of the Provincial Legislature last week at Edmonton and laid before them his slate for the cabinet positions for the new Alberta government which are as follows:

Robert Greenfield, Premier and Acting Treasurer.

J. E. Brownlee, Attorney General.

Perrin Baker, Minister of Education.

Geo. Hoodley, Minister of Agriculture.

Mr. E. C. Reid, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Health.

Vernon W. Smith, Minister of Railways and Telephones.

Alex Ross, Acting Minister of Public Works.

Mrs. Irene Rathby, Minister with out portfolio.

The cabinet was sworn in by Lieut. Governor Brett on Friday afternoon.

A session this fall is being considered as conditions among the farmers in the southern part of the province is considered serious and something will have to be done soon to alleviate the situation.

Sinn Fein Rejects British Offer

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Eamonn De Valera, leader of the Irish republicans, has refused to accept the proposals of the British government constituting dominion government and having as their basis the bringing about of peace in Ireland, declaring conditions sought to be imposed constitute interference in Irish Affairs and control which cannot be permitted. On the other hand, Mr. Lloyd George has informed Mr. De Valera that there can be no compromise on the question of the right of Ireland to secede from her allegiance to the king. The premier tells Mr. De Valera that the conditions of the proposed settlement contain no desire on the part of Great Britain for British ascendancy over Ireland.

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or the impairment of Ireland's Nationality.

Continuance with the making public of correspondence between Lloyd George and Mr. De Valera, a note to the premier, signed by Sir James Craig the Ulster leader, also was published. The official record in the Irish peace negotiations were made public unexpectedly Sunday. They show seemingly a deadlock based on two vital differences between Mr. De Valera and the British premier. Mr. De Valera's renewed insistence on independence and that Ulster shall be regarded merely as a minority faction of an Irish nation.

Local Dairymen Negotiating With City

The situation in regard to the milk supply for the Calgary market is now being brought to a head. The Didsbury Dairymen's Association has started negotiations direct with Mayor Adams and the City Commissioners and it looks as though the local dairymen will win out in their fight against the closed market with which they have had to contend.

The city authorities are looking with great favor on the proposition laid down by the local Association and according to reports are heartily in favor of any plan which may be formulated. Some opposition is expected from the Calgary Association and if this should develop very strongly a special depot will likely be opened to handle the Didsbury supplies.

This district can supply a large quantity of the best and richest milk obtainable and as the dairymen have all been inspected and found absolutely healthy, besides the advantage of being able to secure their milk at a little more reasonable price, the Calgary consumer should back up their officials in their efforts to open up this supply.

Secretary Geo. Wrigglesworth states that a surprisingly large number of enquiries are being received from all parts of the province for Prize Lists and information about the Fair next week. Entries are also being received in response to information

sent these people. Bring out your exhibits and attend the Fair next Tuesday and Wednesday.

Championship Game, Didsbury vs. Rimby

The big feature of the sports program on Fair day, August 20th, will be the Championship game between Didsbury and Rimby for the Inter-Municipal Championship of Alberta. The game will be called at 2 p.m. on the grounds across the track. Come out and boost the boys and help them land the Championship for Didsbury.

Dr. Clarke left on Tuesday noon to attend the Annual Convention of the Alberta Medical Association to be held in Calgary from August 16th to 19th. He will also take of the Summer School Clinics of the Vancouver Medical Association at Vancouver. Both of these meetings will be held in conjunction with the Clinical Congress of the American College of Surgeons. The Doctor expects to return about the first of next month.

A. Bruce, District Deputy Grand Master of the A. F. and A. M., paid an official visit to the Rinsley Lodge on Friday night last accompanied by two W. P. Sick. The visitors reported a great reception and splendid treatment.

The teachers for the coming term are as follows: High School, Mr. G. Lawson, Principal; Mr. M. W. Miller, O'Connor, Public School Teaching; Miss McKenzie, Principal and teacher of Grades VII and VIII; Mr. Mueller, teacher of Grade VI; Miss Bishop, teacher of Grade V; Miss Grant, teacher of Grades III and IV; Miss Johnson, teacher of Grade II and Miss Reynolds to teach the Primary Grades.

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Disarmament

The invitation extended by President Harding to Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to join with the United States in a conference to discuss and consider ways and means of bringing about world disarmament was hailed with joy by people of all nations. The whole world is weary of war—even Germany has had all she wants for a long time. Although the formal invitation to this conference on disarmament came from the United States, there is hardly any question but that British influence played a large part in it. It is even open to question whether the initiative in the matter did not come from Britain, where, however, it was realized that the extending of such an invitation by the United States would not be viewed with the same suspicion by other European powers as would be the case if Great Britain made it.

Such a conference as has been proposed can hardly fail to be productive of much good, even though it may fall short of actually achieving world disarmament. The millennium has not yet come, and it is too much to hope that all nations are ready to abandon all warlike forms of national defence. During the Great War it was a frequently used expression: "This is a war to end war." But conditions still prevailing in Europe and Asia seem to preclude the immediate possibility of disbanding all armies.

France, the victim of German invasion twice within the memory of many men still living, is far from being convinced that the day for maintaining an army of defence is passed. Russia is commonly credited with now possessing the largest army in the world, and under the present Bolshevik regime cannot be depended upon for one moment. Should all other nations disarm, dictators of the Lenin and Trotsky type might seize the opportunity to ride roughshod over Europe. Poland, rejoicing in its new-found freedom, with Bolshevik Russia on one hand, and a resurgent Germany on the other hand, is hardly likely to be willing to rely solely on Russian and German promises of good behavior. And is the world willing to trust Turkey?

But if complete disarmament is not yet possible, it ought at least to be possible to bring about a tremendous reduction in armaments and a consequent lessening of the probabilities of war, and its horrors should it unfortunately not be entirely avoided. With the ignoble surrender of the German navy, and its subsequent destruction, the greatest menace to the liberties of the world was removed. If the remaining naval powers—Great Britain, United States, Japan, France and Italy—can agree to put an end to the creation of larger and more powerful navies, smash up their submarines and put a ban on their further construction, a great advance step will have been taken, and an enormous reduction effected in the burden of taxation imposed on the people of these countries.

Again, if an agreement could be reached to eliminate the aerial services from use in war a further advance step would be taken, the horror of wars materially reduced, and untold millions of money saved. Otherwise, we are going to witness the expenditure of enormous sums in the perfecting of aerial machines of destruction, with each nation trying to outdo and out-fence the others. If in this age of marvellous inventions, the nations could be brought into agreement to reduce armaments to the old land soldiers of past ages, eliminate all recent inventions such as the submarine and airship from war use, and place the ban upon the use of all future inventions for warlike purposes, millions of money would be saved, the terrible magnitude of the last war prevented of repetition, and much of the fascination of war in its newer phases removed.

Gladly as we would like to see it, there is grave doubt of it being presently possible to bring about complete disarmament, and it is open to question, therefore, whether more would not be gained at the forthcoming conference on the subject if the matter of land disarmament was not dropped, but the efforts at disarmament confined to naval, aerial, and kindred aspects of modern warfare.

There is a certain fighting instinct in the whole human race that cannot be entirely eradicated, but it should be possible for the nations to reach agreements which would stop the use of the invasive genius of man for the wholesale destruction of his fellowmen, and which would result in the prohibition of all new mechanical contrivances which, if persisted in, would make the next war a war of annihilation, involving not only soldiers and sailors on active service, but the entire civilian populations of all countries engaged in the struggle.

France Receives Radio Photograph

Transmitted Across Ocean By Powerful U.S. Wireless Station.

Transmission of photographs and written documents in facsimile across the ocean by wireless has been accomplished. Two successful tests of this epoch-making invention have been made at the powerful naval radio station at Annapolis, a photograph and written message having been sent to Malmoussin, the French radio station.

The first test of the invention was the sending of a photograph of the recent Dempsey-Carpentier fight from the Annapolis station to France for reproduction in Le Matin, a Paris newspaper.

While the reproduction was said to have been fairly good, it was not as perfect as the engineers wished it to be. So another test was made.

This test was the sending of a facsimile written message from C. V. Van Ande, managing director of the New York Times, to Le Matin, the Paris newspaper. Word came back that the message was reproduced almost perfectly.

Sure Protection For You While You Travel

You may find the water bad, some poorly cooked food may excite trouble, a draught from a car window may give you an ache or pain—a cold room or damp sheets may cause rheumatic twinges. Remember this—any pain that is caused by congestion yields rapidly to Nervine. When your stomach is sour and upset, just try the magical effect of twenty drops of Nervine in sweetened water. If cramps wake you in the dead of night, Nervine will fix those awful twinges in a hurry. Keep a 35 cent bottle of Nervine in hand—always.

On Schedule.

Misses—"Mary, how is it that the eggs, for breakfast are sometimes boiled soft and sometimes quite hard?"

Mary—"Well, mum, I'm sure I don't know. I puts them in regular as the clock strikes eight, and I takes them out without fail when I hears the down train go by."

For Both House and Stable.—There is a good deal of mingling physically speaking, between human beings and the lower animals. Both are subject to many ailments arising from indigestion and to all manner of cuts and bruises. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is an equally reliable remedy for such ailments and malaises in both human beings and the lower orders of animals.

True Word.

"There are few things more tantalizing to a man," declares the Havensville Review, "than to go home with something on his mind he wants to scold about, and find company there and be obliged to act agreeable."

Cuts are caused by the pressure of the nail, but a new nail can be troublesome when long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Remover is available.

Strawberries In Cold Storage.

Fruit growers in the lower Fraser Valley, British Columbia, have put over 1,000 barrels of strawberries in cold storage to be held until the canners are ready to take them. The berries are packed in sugar and will keep in condition for preserving indefinitely.

The indications of worms are restlessness, grinding of the teeth, picking of the nose, extreme nervousness, and the convulsions. The conditions one of the best remedies that can be put to Miller's Worm Powders. They will attack the worms soon as administered and they pass away in the evacuations. The little sufferer will be immediately eased and a return of the attack will not be likely.

For Western Farmers.

This year the autumn crop will put in the pockets of the Western Canada farmers the sum of about \$700,000,000. To produce this there is a filling of some 36,623,000 acres, while 400,000,000 acres of arable land await the plough in the prairie provinces.

His Religious Belief.

The census-taker had asked many questions and Mike was tired of answering them. "And what is your religious belief?" the suave census man continued. "Good fellow, I'm an atheist," said Mike.

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Convinced Tanlac Is Wonderful Medicine, Declares Miss Reed

"I am convinced that Tanlac is a wonderful medicine because it has been more than a year now since I took it, but it toned up my entire system so well that I am still in the best of health," said Miss Maie Reed, popular saleslady, residing at 406 Kennedy Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

"I dislike to have my name in the paper, but Tanlac has helped me so much that I actually feel it my duty to express my gratitude, so want everybody to know about my case. Nearly a year and a half ago, while I was living in Regina, my health broke down completely. I had rheumatic fever and for eight months was flat on my back in bed, unable to move an inch. I finally got up out of bed,

but was so weak I seemed to have no energy at all. My appetite was gone and instead of getting better I just worried about getting worse, if anything. I could get no sound sleep and just felt miserable all the time.

"A friend of mine finally suggested that I try Tanlac, so I started taking it and by the time I had finished my second bottle my appetite was simply wonderful. I took four bottles in all, and all my strength and energy had come back to me and I was feeling like a different person. My health has been fine ever since and I haven't missed a day from my work. I can't say too much for Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

How Labrador Was Named

Portuguese Explorers Thought Natives Would Make Good Laborers

It is believed that Labrador was so named because Portuguese explorers thought the natives would make good laborers, or because of the labor required to make a living there. The name is connected with the old Spanish name of labor. The Labrador coast was discovered in the tenth century by Leif, the Norseman, but no explorations were made. It was again discovered in 1497 by John Cabot. Explorations and settlements were made and the peninsula was named.

LISLESS, PEEVISH GIRLS

When a girl in her teens becomes peevish, listless and dull, when nothing seems to interest her and dainties do not tempt her appetite, you may be certain that she needs more good blood than she has. Before her peevishness, frequent headaches and breathlessness and heart palpitation will come, that she is anemic. Many mothers, as the result of their own childhood experience, can promptly direct the early signs of anemia, and the wise mother does not wait for the trouble to develop further, but at once reverts her daughter's course with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which renew the blood supply and banish anemia before it has obtained a hold upon the system.

Out of their experience thousands of mothers know that anemia is the sure road to worse ills. They know the difference that good red blood makes in the development of womanly health. Every headache, every gasp for breath that follows the slightest exertion, the anemic girl, every pain she suffers in her back and limbs are reproaches if you have not given her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and the only sure way to do so is through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. New, rich red blood is infused into the system by every dose of these pills. From this new rich blood springs good health, an increased appetite, new energy, high spirits and perfect womanly development. Give your daughter Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and take them yourself and note how promptly their influence is felt in better health.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail postpaid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Prince To Send Winners.

The Prince of Wales was a notable winner with his exhibits of Shorthorn cattle and Shropshire sheep at Bath and West and Southern Counties Agricultural Shows, England, being the winner of most of the prizes. He declared his intention of shipping some of these farm aristocrats to his ranch near High River, Alta., where there is already a fine blooded aggregation.

Strangled with Asthma is the only expression that seems to convey what is endured from an attack of this trouble. The relief from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is beyond measure. Where all was suffering there comes comfort and rest. Breathing becomes normal and the bronchial tubes completely cleared. This unequalled remedy is worth many times its price to all who use it.

Yes, Luke, a woman can sharpen a lead pencil as quickly as a man can thread a needle.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

The counterfeit coin may be lead, but it's hard to push.

The Polka Dot

Editor Finds Out Where Pattern Got Its Name.

Although Lord Northcliffe, of the London Times, with a reputation for mere knowledge than the average encyclopedia, was stamped of the meaning of "polka-dot," as applied to the cravat he was wearing ere he left Toronto for the west, the editor of the Drygoods Economist has unearthed more knowledge than the problem.

Three quarters of a century ago a Bohemian peasant dance called the polka, swept the old world and the new, creating as much of a sensation as the one-step and the fox-trot of today.

Just then some enterprising manufacturer got out a new style of dark silk fabric with contrasting spots or dots upon it. The rest was simple. The new fabrics, worn by the fashionable dancing the polka, became "polka dots," just as later we had merry widows and Alice blue costumes, and so on. There were polka shoes, polka gowns and all sorts of polka things.

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Allies Will Send Relief To The Starving Russians

Lloyd George Has No Admiration For Soviet Government, But Will Act on Humanitarian Grounds.

Paris.—The United States ambassador took part twice in the sessions of the Supreme Council, once in replying to Premier Lloyd George that he agreed that the traditional policy of the United States gave traders the right to sell arms to either belligerent in the Near East, and again, in replying to enquiries by the prime minister respecting Secretary Hoover's Russian relief plans.

M. Briand, the French premier, began the discussion of the Russian famine by saying that the Russian people who had fought with the Allies in the beginning of the war might justly look to them now for help.

"I propose that all the Allies join with the United States and the other nations who are interesting themselves in the administration of relief through Red Cross societies and other private sources," said M. Briand.

"I heartily agree to this," exclaimed Lloyd George, "but I wish to point out," he added, "that such efforts could not reach many of the sufferers. The Red Cross cannot perform the miracle of the five leaves

and two fishes. Relief must be organized immediately on a great scale not only for the sake of Russia, but for the sake of the world, because typhus, cholera and other plagues incident to famine would cause more losses than the last war."

"I have no admiration for the Soviet Government," Lloyd George continued, "but relief is impossible without its co-operation, inasmuch as it controls transport and all of the official machinery. No one could move about Russia without its permission. I think for this purpose, and this purpose only, the Allies should make some arrangement with the Soviet Government."

Lloyd George said he had been informed that some of the Russian provinces had surplus grain, but the peasants would not release it except in exchange for goods which they required. He suggested that the Supreme Council consider at once whether steps could be taken to obtain grain in this manner by the famine area. The question was not a political, but a humanitarian one. "When your neighbor's house is burning," he concluded, "you don't ask questions, but try to save it."

Ample Harvest Help

Winnipeg.—With approximately 25,000 harvest hands needed for Manitoba and Saskatchewan already in the west, it was decided at a meeting of employment officials here to notify the railway officials that further excursion trains from eastern points should be held up, pending a survey of conditions. Whether the west has sufficient farm labor or not will be decided in the next day or so. Surprise was expressed by local employment officials at the expeditious manner in which the railways had dispatched so many harvesters from the east.

Loyalty of People of Dominion

King George Is Grateful For Work of Penitents at Conference.

London.—His Majesty King George in his reply to the address from the Imperial conference, emphasizes the fact that he had stirring and ineffaceable proofs from the peoples of the dominion of their loyalty and devotion in the enthusiastic and touching receptions invariably given on several occasions of his visit to different parts of the world where the British flag flies, proofs which had been renewed in the remarkable demonstrations of welcome and goodwill which the Prince of Wales during his visit of the past three years. Furthermore, where could one find such ample testimony to their common allegiance to empire and sovereignty as in their noble self-sacrifice during the four and a half years of the World War?

His Majesty added: "I followed with keen interest the deliberations of the conference. These meetings and the exchange of views between ministers of the great communities which they represent, upon the many problems affecting the common interest of the British peoples, are essential to the unity and well-being of the empire and the general peace of the world. Every facility must be given for such periodical meetings, and to ensure this, we look confidently to men of science and research to discover an improved means of inter-communication between all parts of the British commonwealth."

"I know the work of the conference has been strenuous, entailing severe demands upon all concerned, but their time was well spent in advancing further along the road of progress and development."

"I heartily thank them, on my own behalf, and that of the Queen, for the address. We wish Godspeed to those who are leaving England and a safe and happy return to their respective homes and families. More than ever do we follow with feelings of affection, the welfare of our people at home and across the sea."

WESTERN EDITORS



C. J. Farrant, Editor of the Review, Danville, Alta.

To Unify the Laws Of the Provinces

Ottawa.—An attempt to unify the laws of the various provinces, with the exception of the province of Quebec, which has been under consideration by a committee for some time, will be reported upon at the annual meeting of the Canadian Bar Association which opens here on September 6, and continues until September 8. Each province, with the exception of Quebec, is represented by a commissioner. The exception on the part of Quebec is due to the radical differences in its insistence on the maintenance of its civil law granted under the B.N.A. Act.

Soldier Settlers Have Good Crops

Success of Community Settlements Exemplified in Indian Reserves. Winnipeg.—Soldier settlers in the northern parts of the three prairie provinces will harvest from 20 to 35 bushels of wheat to the acre, according to Captain L. R. Boyd, a federal inspector of the Soldier Settlement Board, who has been here attending a conference of district supervisors.

Returned soldiers who have settled in communities throughout the west, have done remarkably well from every point of view, Captain Boyd declared. The outstanding success of community settlements, he stated, is exemplified in the Indian reserves, thrown open through the Board for Soldier Settlement. Such among these are the Prairie Mountains, Pilot, Porcupine and Pouce Coupe reserves. In every one of these places community settlements have been established, with an average of 80 acres per settler for cultivation. The population of these settlements range from 200 to 600 people.

Six U.S. Prisoners Released. Ban, Larches.—Six United States prisoners in Russia have been released by the Soviet government and have arrived at Narva, Estonia, in fair condition. They are: Emmet Kilpatrick, Weston Bester, William Pick, N. B. Kalamandian, H. J. Lamare and Russell Pullinger.

The Life of Ne-Gua-nan-I-sew

By O-GEMAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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(Continued)

About this time, now in the nineties, a young colored doctor from Chatham, Ontario, had settled in Kintaw, some thirty miles west of my homestead, and was practicing his profession there and visiting the scattered settlers with much success. This was glad news for me and I drove up and called on him at the first opportunity, and we soon became fast friends.

He was much interested in the Indians and when I told him of the deaths of Ne-gua-nan-I-sew's children and described the symptoms, he made me promise that if another child was born to this couple it was to be brought up to him for education. On my next visit to Ne-tow and his poor sad wife they listened with the greatest eagerness to my tale of the new doctor, and it was rather amusing when I described his color. Ah, they said, if a white doctor's medicine is strong, why a black doctor's must be stronger. However, they promised faithfully if a few boys came they would surely follow my advice.

A year or so elapsed and then he came with a fine little boy, just tied in the Moss Bag and resembling her mother very much. Both were anxious to see the new medicine man, so we all went up to Kintaw, I going as interpreter. After a careful examination the doctor gave certain instructions and these they promised faithfully to carry out. Then in three months time, and in fact every three months for at least a year, they were to bring the babe for another medical examination. As about the age of two the doctor performed a slight operation for tubercular gland.

The child thrived, the parents were immensely grateful and this girl baby gradually developed into a fine lady. Some young woman who went to Emmanuel College. She was the pride and delight of her parents and through her efforts they both became converted to Christianity. In the meantime, two other children were born to Ne-tow and being duly reared by Dr. Shedd, grew up fine youngsters. A Jopier, more contented Indian family you could not find, but alas, the sequel of this true tale proves that in the midst of life we are in death.

The season was early fall, following an extremely dry summer, and Ne-tow and all his family were camping in the hills south of Ebelton. The country was broken and brute, with a tremendous growth of grass and much dead old timber. For days the atmosphere had been smoky. Suddenly a heavy gale of wind arose and Ne-tow finally decided to make for the open country, but in every direction they tried to proceed, fire or dense smoke hindered them back. Finally, in despair, he set all hands to make as big a clearing as possible, also to dig a hole (axes the only tool) to shelter them if the fire swept over the camp. Then he hobbled and threw his two ponies and covered their heads up with a blanket. How they all-worked in spite of the awful heat and suffocating smoke, then with a roar the actual fire was on them and one by one he saw his dear one's perish, reckless of his own life he clasped them in his arms to extinguish the burning garments, but his loved wife, his brilliant daughter and the two young children all perished.

When a rescue party arrived he was still conscious, though very badly burned. They insisted on taking him down to the doctor, but his wish was to die and join his loved ones, the quieter the better.

I was not present when they brought the poor maimed child of mine, two Dr. Shedd and laid him on a couch. After a short examination he pronounced the case hopeless, and when they told poor Ne-tow that his friends who had rescued him in the night of his last wish. He asked that sufficient of his goods be sold to meet his debts, and sent a special message of goodwill to me. Then, folding his poor burnt arms across his chest, and with a cheery "Goodbye, doctor," they perished. Ne-gua-nan-I-sew, a gallant Indian gentleman.

Fortunately some years before the date of the dying of this family, old South-Wind and his wife had died so they were spared much grief.

Indian Prevention of Bush Fires.

Old South-Wind was my first Indian friend in the Stony Creek country (now Melton district), and not only selected my first location, but gave me much kind and sound advice as to how to be a new settler. His forefathers, for generations back, had made this district their hunting grounds and he pointed out to me with pride the fact that all the first growth timber was still standing untouched by fire. When asking him what I should do in regard to this preservation of the green woods (which of course meant saving the fur), he replied as follows:

First, never set a fire on foot in the spring and the grass on the ridge is dry, but out your fires. The snow is still in the woods and no harm will result. Then later on as the hay stacks dry up and you have the ridges surrounding them burnt off, why do the same to the hay.

I followed the old Indian's advice from 1883 to 1893 without losing a stick of green timber, but in the year 1893 a number of settlers came and when I went burning the ridges in the spring of 1894, one of these men, a man from North Dakota, warned me that he had been appointed a fire guardian and that I would be killed if I did not stop putting out spring fires. I tried to show the men that the folly of this but without success, so for two or three years the old grass collected until it formed a mat on the ground over a foot thick, then one of their number lit a fire out in a dry hill. Many of these are settlers lost their buildings, several barely escaped with their lives, and two young Indians perished in the hills. Millions of feet of good green timber were burnt, and some thousands of acres of land will never amount of the down to the dry sub-soil and, naturally, the foraging animals were wiped out.

This law from Regina may have suited southern ranchmen but it was a positive evil in this country where more grass grows on one acre than on ten or twenty in the south. Our legislators should have had old South-Wind at their councils.

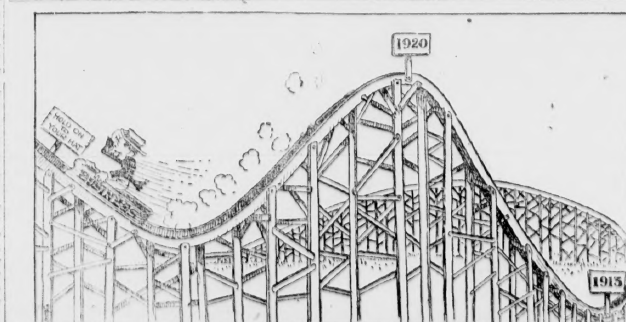
We few settlers became exhausted in trying to effect this awful fire as applied to the Mounted Police for assistance. Help was promptly and effectively given us, as usual, with that noble body of men.

Fire Raging in Russian Oil Wells

Flames Cannot Be Extinguished and Loss Will Be Disastrous. London.—Fires are raging in 18 oil wells in the suburbs of Baku, the great oil centre in Asiatic Russia, according to advice from Ruzik, Tashkent, by the Central News Agency here.

There appears to be no means of extinguishing the conflagration, the message added, and the loss of oil will be disastrous. The disaster will be more keenly felt on account of the famine and cholera in that district and the consequent scarcity of labor, resulting in scanty supplies of coal and firewood for the winter, the message said.

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EDITORIALS

In another column will be found a report on the Dairywomen's negotiations with the City of Calgary in regard to the milk situation. The whole trouble, it has seemed to us, has been caused by the Calgary Milk Producers Association backed up by the interested dealers to keep Calgary a closed market to all outsiders, no matter whether the consumer has to suffer or not. It is time the City authorities took a hand in the game when they have such a large supply of milk right next to their doors and yet are unable to get the same out on their market. 4,000 quarts of milk daily, which is what the Didsbury Association has stated they can put on the market, would help a whole lot in relieving the situation that exists in the city and the selfish interests of the few should not be allowed to interfere with the life necessities of the many. Our milk will test out and compare as favorably as any put on the market, and a glance around our dairy farms will show any who are interested that they are as clean and the cattle as free from disease as any in the whole of Alberta.

Unfortunately our space does not warrant us publishing the complete negotiations between Lloyd George and De Valera on the Irish situation which has again assumed serious proportions and is causing a great deal of anxiety in England. Reading over the British proposals it seems that England had offered about all that could be given less than absolute independence which for her is an impossibility and, as General Smuts, the Great South African leader states, "is far more than we offered the Transvaal and the Free States." The offer of the British government included complete dominion status to the twenty six counties subject to certain strategic safeguards, but this has been refused. If conditions in the south and west of Ireland revert back to the conditions previous to the truce a great deal of sympathy all over the world will have been alienated from the cause of the Sinn Fein and their adherents, and where the overseas dominions have, to a certain extent taken the side of those who wanted to control their own destinies they will feel that it is too much to expect England to allow an entirely independent republic right next to their doors to harass and cause a feeling of uneasiness to prevail as to what Ireland will do and to whom she will throw her allegiance in time of trouble. It looks as though there is more of a sinister influence being used in Irish affairs than the world is aware of, and until the right thinking and sane element of the "right little tight little island," takes hold of public affairs and use their influence for the good of Ireland as a whole the outlook is certainly very dark.

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Must Watch Grasshoppers

The grasshoppers are still very numerous in parts of Alberta. It may appear that these pests are not doing very serious harm. Many people do not realize that when the leaves have been eaten off the plants cannot fill and as a result the yield of our grain is very seriously reduced. Whenever grasshoppers are in fields of grain it is certain that they are doing very much damage. When they have reached a large size and become numerous throughout the fields of grain it is almost impossible to do very much in the way of controlling them.

Prospects are bad for next year and it would seem that every possible means of control must be used in order to effectively reduce the injury from these pests. Mr. E. H. Strickland, in charge of Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Lethbridge, offers the following suggestions:—

We have under observation instances in which summer fallowed crops would have made a fair yield had not countless swarms of grasshoppers come in from neighboring breeding grounds which had not been treated and the hoppers remained on them till they were winged. These breeding grounds must be very obvious in the fall, that is, from now on till the middle of September, owing to the habit of the males swarming over the females while the latter are ovipositing, thus giving to the breeding ground the appearance of being covered with small struggling bunches of yellow grasshoppers. Many of these breeding grounds were observed last fall, and in a few instances they were reported to us. If the majority of these were located in the fall and were reported to you steps could then be taken next spring to see that they received proper attention. We are advocating such a campaign in our local press, and would offer the suggestion to you that you try to get the businessmen

or anyone else that motored through the country to report breeding places when they are seen. In this manner much of the trouble that will inevitably be experienced next year when the grasshoppers begin to fly can be reduced.

It is the most sincere wish of the School of Agriculture at Oids to co-operate in every possible manner with everyone in attempting to control and exterminate the grasshopper. While the campaign to control grasshoppers during the last few weeks has been somewhat less strenuous than it was in June we are still in the field to assist farmers in any way and would be very pleased to receive communications from farmers regarding the control of this pest, and would ask all who are interested in the welfare of the community to co-operate in every possible manner in an endeavor to organize so that these pests may be effectively combated.

The suggestions offered in Mr. Strickland's letter are very timely and we would ask every public spirited person to act on his suggestions and let us know where they observed breeding places.

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Prevent Rush to Sell Cattle This Fall

The fall of 1921 will prove a delicate, if not a critical, time in the Canadian cattle trade. If, due to panic, there is then a rush to sell cattle, it will demoralize the market and do the very worst thing for farmers. At the same time it will lead the refrigerators of the packing plants with a huge quantity of meat, probably from this cattle that packers do not want and will not be able to dispose of to the best advantage of the livestock industry. As a precautionary measure, therefore, packers believe that producers should carefully guard against a heavy rush to market in the fall months.

The state of the packing trade is very much like that which faced farmers themselves—factors costs, unaccept and all other charges still comparatively high yet with a declining market for the output.

A glut in the freezers this fall would inevitably bring about that which packers are as anxious as farmers are to avoid, i.e., a disastrous slump in prices. The basis of agricultural prosperity in Canada is the live stock industry, and a slump could not do other than injure producer, manufacturer and consumer.

Alone, packers cannot prevent this, with the co-operation of farmer producers, much may be done to steady live stock market prices this fall. Farmers would be wise to get together and by co-operation with all organizations plan to spread their cattle shipments cautiously over the late summer and fall months and to hold all cattle on the farms that are not well finished.

What, from a business standpoint, appears to the packer is that the comparatively low prices at which feeders will probably be available this fall should be attractive to every farmer who has winter feed. While no one can positively foretell market conditions next spring and early summer the history of past years depressions and advances makes

packers believe that, if faced with the same condition in their own business, they would be justified in taking what risk there is and holding their stocks for the better conditions of next spring if it were feasible. But packers cannot hold fresh beef in the freezers long enough to protect the farmers in the market. If loaded heavily this fall, they would have to freeze the meat, adding expensive holding charges and bringing this into competition with fresh meat next spring.

It is probable that both railroad and ocean freight rates next spring will be much more favorable. Spreading the marketing of its stock over the fall, winter and spring will, therefore, prevent what may otherwise result in serious conditions.

Reception to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Webster

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Webster was the scene of a very enjoyable occasion when neighbors, friends and relatives met at a reception for Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Webster.

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Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Webster, Mrs. Robt. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. James Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Webster and family of Bonanza, Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. John Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chamberlain, Mr. Vernon and Mr. Mack of Didsbury, Mrs. Rodney and Mr. Irvine Rodney, Misses Evelyn and Helen Webster and Mrs. E. S. Griffin and family of Calgary, Mrs. West of Didsbury.

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To Alexander Houck, Elkhorn, Alberta.

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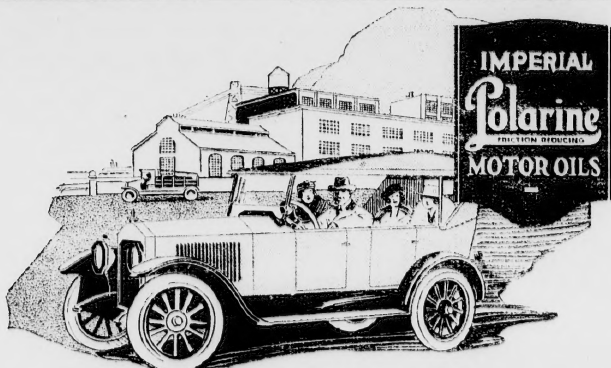
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The Homesteaders

BY
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He carried her to the tent and applied water to her forehead. As he was engaged in restoring her his head fell on his gun. The barrel was hot. He raised her face to his, and kissed her again and again.

In the morning they found a few drops of blood on the grass at the foot of the bank.

Harris and his wife allowed themselves no time for nerve-strain over the experience of their first night on their homestead. It was fortunate for them there was so much to do, and that they were thrown entirely upon their own resources. Their little store of money was running low, and they decided their house must be of the cheapest possible construction. Harris had already discussed his buildings with McCrear, who advised him to make use of sod, and gave general directions how to do so; and he now set about to put McCrear's suggestions into effect. Some fifteen miles north of the homestead was a valley in which grew trees of sufficient size for building purposes—poplars, cottonwoods, elms and oaks. Farther down the valley, at the head of a lake, was a saw-mill, where boards and shingles might be bought—but one had money.

So this morning, after caring for their cows, they hitched the horses to the wagon, took an axe, a saw, their gun, and a lunch, and set out for the valley, returning at night with sufficient logs and poles for the framework of their house and stable. The next day construction was commenced. Four stout posts were set on end, enclosing a rectangle twelve by sixteen feet. The tops of the posts were connected by logs laid upon them, dovetailed at the corners after the fashion of wooden shingles. In position by wooden pins driven in auger-holes. Lengthwise along the centre, to form a partition, two stout logs were laid and the whole framework supported by additional posts, among which Harris and his wife set about to enclose the house. Small poles were then placed on end, slightly inwards, and resting against the plate-logs. Similar poles were laid from the plate-logs to the ridge-pole to support the roof.

Harris found a southern slope where the frost was not enough to admit of him ploughing some sods. He knew he would not get as good a sod here as later in the season might be found in some low-lying spot, but his first consideration was to get some kind of permanent shelter. So he ploughed the sods, three inches thick and fourteen inches wide, and cut them into two-foot lengths with his axe, to the sad injury of its cutting edge. These sods were then built into a wall like bricks, resting gently against the framework of poles, from which, however, they were separated by a padding of grass, which Harris cut in a sleigh with his scythe, and small willows from the ravine. This mattress of grass and willows prevented any earth shaking through into the house itself. A framework made of a heavy log was inserted in the south wall to leave space for a window, which should be bought when the family finances could afford such luxuries. For the time being it would be left open in fine weather and covered with canvas when the elements were grim and unruly. The rag-carpet, when no longer needed as a tent, would be draped in the doorway, pending the purchase of boards to make a wooden door.

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For a roof, grass was laid on the poles and covered tightly with sods. Then Harris found a sticky, yellow clay in the side of the ravine, and two or three inches of this spread carefully over the sods, like icing on a great cake. The grassy clay soon hardened in the sun, and became so impervious to water that the heaviest rains of summer made no impression upon it.

When, save for the missing door and window, the house was finished, they stood in the centre and admired. It was absolutely the product of their own labor, applied to such scanty resources as the prairie provided. But it was warm and snug, and, as they later on learned, the wall and roof of sod were almost perfect non-conductors of either heat or cold. The door was of earth, but Mary Harris knew the difference between earth and dirt, although the words are frequently confounded, and her house was from the first a model of cleanliness and order.

By this time the snow was all gone, except in the snow-banks along the ravine, and the frost was out of the soil in all places deep enough to admit of ploughing. As the sods were taking no harm from the open air, thanks to the shelter of the ravine, Harris decided to delay the construction of his stable until after seeding and to proceed at once with the ploughing of his land. He had also to make a trip to Anthony's for seed grain, and to borrow a couple of sections of dig harrows. With all this, by the middle of May he had seven fifteen acres of wheat, and notwithstanding a heavy snowfall about the 15th, by the 1st of June he had added ten acres of oats. With his help Mary had planted a small garden of potatoes and vegetables, and a few flowers were springing up at the door of the house.

It was a life of hard, persistent work—of loneliness, privation, and hardship. But it was also a life of courage, of health, of resourcefulness, of a determined freedom from all doubts in God's open spaces. They had learned to know the animals of the field—the cheery rooster, the sleek, over-industrious larder, the skunk, the unchallenged monarch of his immediate circle, the wary coyote, whose terror is all in his level, the red fox, softly searching and the glass for the nests of ducks or prairie chicken; and the rabbit, cunning but always gracefully elusive. Then there were the waterfowl, infinite in number. The stuffed ducks on the dinner-table were limited only by the amount of powder and shot which Harris cared to spend in the pond at their door. At night, when the horses had been unharnessed and duck was setting in, he would slip his gun under his arm and walk down among the willows. It was necessary only to wait. Two graceful forms, feeding under a grassy bank, leaving a slight rustle above, would reveal a slight, silent stroke into the supposed safety of their native element. Harris would pierce through the duck for the brighter markings of the male, for only a game-mender shoots the female in the nesting season. Then, as they separated a little, his gun would make a sudden splashing of water, a sharp whistle of rapid wings cutting the air; a form, paddling an uncertain circle in the pond, then lying straight out upon the surface. Harris as yet had no dog, and often it meant stripping and a sharp plunge in the water to bring in the trophy. But the strong, athletic young man counted that only part of the sport. Other times the nights were clamorous with the howling of wild geese, and in the morning Harris, slipping out into the bank of the creek, would see the prairie white as from new-fallen snow with the backs of countless thousands of "waders." Sometimes the geese, secure in the supposedly unsettled wilderness, reached the vigor of their military sound, and on such occasions he could get within range. But if there is one quality that moves back it is that which is most attributed to him—foolishness. On his marches through the unpopulated desert of an army he moves with the precision of an air in the field, scouting out all the land, taking aerial observations before making camp, and immediately throwing out sentries around his feeding ground. But long continued immunity from attack breeds carelessness, even in a goose, and the price of such neglect frequently adorned the table in Harris's cabin.

The prairie flowers, too, were a never-ending delight to the heart of the young woman. She had no name for them by name, but they were peculiar to the prairie. The first few days of spring had clothed all the wilderness with a magic carpet of pale-purplish blossoms, and the advancing season brought new blooms to siew with every passing week. On Sundays, when there was total relaxation from their regular labors, the two, arm in arm, would stroll about the bank of the ravine, or walk, ankle-deep in straggly blossoms, far over the undulating plain to the west. Returning, they would find their way to the edge of the stream, where, in the shallow crossing, the ducks would dart in all directions in panic at their appearance. Here they would sit and listen to the gentle murmur of the water, while fleecy clouds mirrored themselves in its glassy depths, and flowers ran whitening up and down the bank, and a meadow-lark sent its timid challenge from a neighboring bush. And at night, when the moon rose in wonderful whiteness and pur-

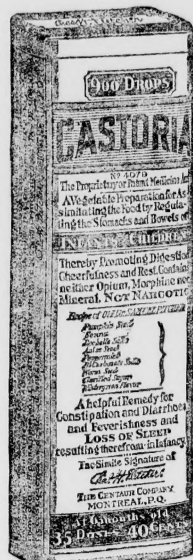
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CHAPTER V.

The Shores of the Infinite.

The summer was a season of great activity and development. Harris did not sow any crop after the 1st of June, but applied himself then to the construction of his stable, which was built after the same fashion as the

house. The shelter of its cool walls and roof was gratefully sought by the cows in the heat of the day, and its comparative freedom from mosquitoes was a haven to the horses in the evenings. Then there was more hard to plough, and Harris's soul never failed to delight in driving the plough through the virgin sod. There was something almost sacred in the bringing of his will to bear upon soil which had come down to him through all the ages fresh from the hand of God. The blackbirds that followed at his heel in long, respectful rows, solemnly seeking the trophies of his labor, might have been incarnations from the unrecorded ages that had known these broad

fields for chase and slaughter, but never for growth and production. The era of the near vision, demanding its immediate reward, had passed away, and in its place was the day of faith, for without faith there can be neither seed-time nor harvest.

(To be Continued)

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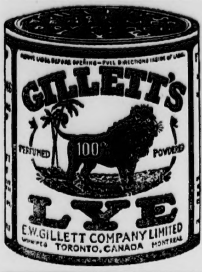
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"Slither Throats Among the Gold" bullion, with half a century of popularity, is still earning \$5,000 a year in royalties.

Secretary of Labor Davis says the U.S. Government can save \$50,000 annually by buying plain pencils without rubber tops.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith, 84, of Mantua, N.J., is cutting her third set of teeth. A printing plant for counterfeiting Government doctors' liquor prescription blanks was seized at Boston.

The sum of \$53,875 has been collected in Port Arthur for infraction of the Ontario Temperance Act and other prohibitory measures since the closing of the bars in 1916.

Icebergs, three hundred feet high and seven hundred feet long were seen off the Grand Banks of Newfoundland by passengers on the steamship Columbia which arrived at New York recently.

Twenty-four people have been reported drowned in various floods which are raging throughout the prefecture of Yamagata. Five thousand houses have been submerged and forty bridges destroyed by the floods.

A trapper named Smith and another whose name is unknown, are believed to have been lost in the rapids of Black River in the Arctic Circle. Don Cadlow, trapper from Rampart House, brought the news of the disappearance of the two men when he came to Dawson.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

This is a Short Letter, But It Proves the Reliability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Alberta Ships Horses

Trinidad Business Firm Ordered Them For Driving Purposes.

A trial shipment of Alberta horses is now on the way to Trinidad, where they are being sent on an order from a business firm there which wants them for driving purposes. Twenty-three animals, of small build, standing fourteen to fifteen hands in height and weighing from 700 to 1,000 lbs., bought in the vicinity of Calgary, are being shipped as a first consignment, and a second lot to make up a total of fifty will follow later.

The shipment is in charge of J. D. Smith, of the department of agriculture. He will ship from Halifax by one of the West India steamer lines, and after delivering the animals to their buyers in Trinidad will spend some time looking into the future horse market there and at other points in the Indies. If Mr. Smith's investigations are satisfactory, it is likely that other shipments from Alberta will be made in the near future.

That Dry Cough Is Bronchitis

If neglected, it will weaken the throat and perhaps reach the lungs. Nothing surer to help you quickly than the healing soothing vapor of Catarrhoxone. Its action is magical, every congested spot is healed, irritation is soothed away, phlegm and secretion are cleaned out, all symptoms of weak throat, Catarrh, Bronchitis disappear. Catarrhoxone is a genuine, scientific preparation. Sold everywhere in three sizes, 25c, 50c and one dollar for a complete two months' treatment. Prepared by the Catarrhoxone Co., Montreal.

Australia Gets Strange Weather

Snowstorm Is Unusual Experience for People of Antipodes.

A Russian cable from Melbourne says that the entire state of Victoria has been experiencing very heavy weather recently, with a considerable snowfall, followed by a great deal of rain, even in Melbourne, where such conditions are most unusual. Several ocean vessels are overdue and there is some anxiety on account of coast vessels.

Lieut. Parer, of the Australian Air Force, who, with two companions, has been attempting a flight around Australia, ran into a blinding snowstorm and was obliged to descend.

A Divorce Granted

After many years of patient suffering, you can be divorced from yours, you can get rid of them completely by applying Funtam's Corn Extractor. This wonderful old remedy acts in 24 hours and never fails. Refuse a substitute and remember "Funtam's" is the only Painless remedy. 25c everywhere.

1920 Fur Catch Worth Two Millions

Muskrat Pelts Account For Half of the Revenue.

During the hunting season of 1920, furs valued at more than two million dollars were sold by Saskatchewan trappers.

Muskrat pelts brought the heaviest revenue, Chief Game Guardian Fred Bradshaw states. Sale of these amounted to \$1,009,476. They sold at \$2 a pelt. Coyote skins were the next heaviest item on the sale list. More than 18,000 of these were sold, bringing a revenue of \$294,176.

One of the surprising features of the statement is that which deals with skunk pelts. It shows that 9,974 of these were sold for \$5 each, bringing returns to trappers an amount to \$49,870.

Other animals which produced good returns for hunters were Minks, Beavers, weasels, badgers and silver foxes.

Mr. Bradshaw says: "The most noticeable spread is that of muskrats, there being 380,338 pelts less than were purchased the year before. Beavers are down 500 skins, skunks show an increase of 4,000, and weasels display a remarkable increase of 25,000. All varieties of foxes show a slight decrease, while the remaining kinds of fur bearers show only slight variations from the catch of 1919."

Of the inhabitants of Mexico less than one in three can read or write.

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Driverless Auto Puzzled Police

Ohio Air Service Were Exhibiting Radio Controlled Car.

Dayton traffic policemen rubbed their eyes when a miniature automobile sailed past all semaphores. There was not a soul in it.

It was a driverless radio automobile controlled by a radio in a car 100 feet behind it.

The automobile itself contained no wireless and it is said to be the first of its kind publicly exhibited by the radio air service.

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American Engineers Visit Cranbrook.

A party of fifty members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers will visit East Kootenay as the guests of the East Kootenay Prospectors Association and Cranbrook Board of Trade. The party will visit the Sullivan mine and other points of interest.

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Some schools of mackerel are half a mile wide and twenty miles long and are estimated to contain one million barrels of fish.

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Signor Nitti, Italy's ex-premier, habitually smokes 40 cigarettes and 10 cigars a day.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Expeller.

The Brooklyn Bridge towers (New York) are 287 feet in height, the spire of Trinity Church, Broadway, New York City, three feet less, or 284 feet tall.

For Motoring Or Yachting



By Marie Belmont.

There are so many occasions during the summer when a handsome wrap is needed that it is always well to have a coat that may be adapted for various uses. The wrap is made of bolivia cloth, with trimmings of the bolivia cloth. The sleeves are cut in one with the rest of the coat and they are distinguished by their wide cuffs. The coat is slightly bloused in the front, but is drawn snugly to the figure below the belt. The draped collar, the cuffs and the bulging pockets are made of blue silk serge that contrasts well with the beige bolivia cloth. Beige stitching enhances their beauty.

The Need of Fresh Air.

Every time we breathe we draw thirty cubic inches of air into our lungs; supposing that we take fifteen breaths a minute for the twenty-four hours of the day, we use no less than 648,000 cubic inches of air, which would weigh over thirty pounds. Every day's supply of air for one human being would be sufficient to fill 1,125 two-gallon cans; a year's supply would weigh more than five tons. From these figures it may be seen how necessary it is to keep windows open so that there may be a continuous supply of fresh air.

By making your purchases from your home merchant you are contributing direct to the prosperity of the community in which you live.



Fuel Control Unlikely

Cabinet Considers Situation Calls For No Action.

Fuel control by the Dominion Government during the coming winter is unlikely. According to Sir George Foster, the question of fuel control has been under consideration, but apparently the situation calls for no action by the federal authorities. Sir George pointed out that the Provincial Governments were in a position to appoint fuel controllers if they so desired. Conditions during the war were very different from those prevailing at present, he said, and now there was a supply of fuel for those who wished to purchase it.

CHANGE OF WATER WAS THE CAUSE OF DIARRHOEA

People moving from place to place are very much subject to diarrhoea on account of the change of water, climate, diet, etc. Prompt treatment will

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In such cases relieves the pain, checks the diarrhoea, and thus does away with the suffering, the weakness and often-times collapse associated with an attack of this kind. It does this by checking the too frequent and irritating stools, settling the stomach and bracing up the weakened system, thus rendering it without a peer for the treatment of all bowel complaints of both old and young.

Mrs. Ernest S. Beaton, Grayburn, Sask., writes: "Coming out here from the East, my two little girls took very sick, the change of water, etc., giving them diarrhoea. They were so pale, and used to vomit everything they would take, so I finally got a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and I must say it certainly helped them. I have also used it when my children were sick, and it is all you claim for it."

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AROUND THE TOWN

Miss A. Kerr, from Stavely is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Axtell motored to Sylvan Lake on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wigglesworth were week end visitors at Calgary.

Mr. Gus Geriz from Stettler was visiting in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Newton was visiting with relatives at Cochrane last week.

Come to Dad McCalm's for new potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Shantz of Kitchen, Ont., are visiting Mr. Shantz's brother, Mr. E. B. Shantz.

Mr. Mrs. L. Brusco of Ayton Ont. arrived here on Monday night on a visit with their son, Mr. A. F. Brusco.

Mr. W. A. McKenzie and family left on Tuesday for Calgary where Mr. McKenzie is going to teach.

Mr. Everard Clarke has returned home after a seasons work with the Chautauqua in B. C.

Miss B. McEwen, telephone operator, left on Monday for Gen. Saak where she will spend her vacation.

Ward Keith and a number of young people motored to Sylvan Lake on Sunday.

Miss Jean Edwards returned on Thursday after spending a week in Banff.

Mrs. H. W. Chambers returned home on Monday after spending several weeks at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Croeland motored to Sylvan Lake on Monday to spend a week there.

Masters Harold and Maurice Pemberton, of Calgary, spent a week or two with Ross Young of the Dog Pound.

Mrs. Rueben Weber and family from Kitchener Ont., arrived here on Monday where they will take up their residence. Mr. Weber is engaged in Mr. Studer's store.

The W. C. T. U. will serve a hot dinner at the Fair grounds August 24th. A good dinner is assured and any donations brought to the booth will be gladly accepted.

Lincoln Shantz returned home from his visit to Ontario on Monday. He states that it has been very warm down there this summer and also dry.

Mrs. J. Raymer who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunsperger, left on Saturday for Calgary, where there she is visiting Banff and other points before returning to her home in Vancouver.

The many friends of Mr. Forrell will regret to hear of his death on Sunday, after a very short illness in the Didsbury Hospital. He was taken ill with rheumatism and heart trouble and on Sunday morning pneumonia set in to which he succumbed Sunday evening. The body was taken to Calgary where he will be buried on the arrival of some of his relations from the States.

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